

# State of Connecticut Latino and Puerto Rican Affairs Commission

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#### Criteria

Latino/a Citizen of the Year Promesa Award for Youth – 1 Male & 1 Female Community Service Award

#### Category I - The Latino/a Citizen of the Year Award Individuals must:

- Have demonstrated dedication, leadership and commitment to the advancement, promotion and development of the cultural, social, economic and political welfare of the Latino community in Connecticut;
- Be at least 25 years of age;
- Be a resident of Connecticut; and,
- Be Latino/a or a non-Latino/a providing significant contributions to the Latino community.

#### Category II - The **Promesa Award for Youth** – 1 Male & 1 Female Individuals must:

- Have demonstrated dedication, leadership and commitment to the advancement, promotion and development of the cultural, social, economic and political welfare of the Latino community in Connecticut;
- Be between the ages of 12-24;
- Be a resident of Connecticut; and,
- Be Latino/a.

## Category III – The **Community Service Award** Organization must:

- Have demonstrated dedication, leadership and commitment to the Latino community it serves;
- Have Latinos as its primary target population for its services and/or specific project;
- Have a significant representation of Latinos in its staff and Board of Directors; and,
- Serve Latinos in Connecticut.

<u>Deadline</u> for submitting nominations: <u>Friday, May 27, 2005</u>

<u>IMPORTANT</u>: Nominations must be received by the DUE date. Late submissions will NOT BE accepted. Incomplete submissions will NOT BE accepted.

### Nomination Form

PLEASE NOTE: All information on the nomination form must be filled out. All materials required with the form must be included and, most importantly, <u>YOU MUST</u> sign the nomination form. Your compliance with this little housekeeping request is most appreciated. Thank you.

Please provide information about your nominee. (This form may be duplicated as needed.)

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 $\underline{^*Important\ Note}\colon$  All nominations must be accompanied by two letters of support in order to be considered.

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Please provide information about yourself:

Name:					
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Phone: Day ( )Evening ( )					
Signature of Pers	Today's Date				
Please check:					
( ) I have included two letters of support for each nomination made. * You may contact me for additional information.					

Deadline: Friday, May 27, 2005

Please send completed form with two letters of support to:

State of Connecticut
Latino and Puerto Rican Affairs Commission
Attention: Lucy Goicoechea-Hernández
18-20 Trinity Street
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Office: (860) 240-8330

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If you have any questions, please call me at 860-240-8330 or e-mail me at lucy.hernandez@cga.ct.gov

Thank you for taking the time to celebrate the accomplishments of the members of the Latino and Puerto Rican community in Connecticut. We hope you will join us at our *Eighth Annual Gala Awards Banquet scheduled for Saturday, October 8, 2005* at Foxwoods Resort Casino in Mashantucket, Connecticut.

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